

American Recovery and Reinvestment Act

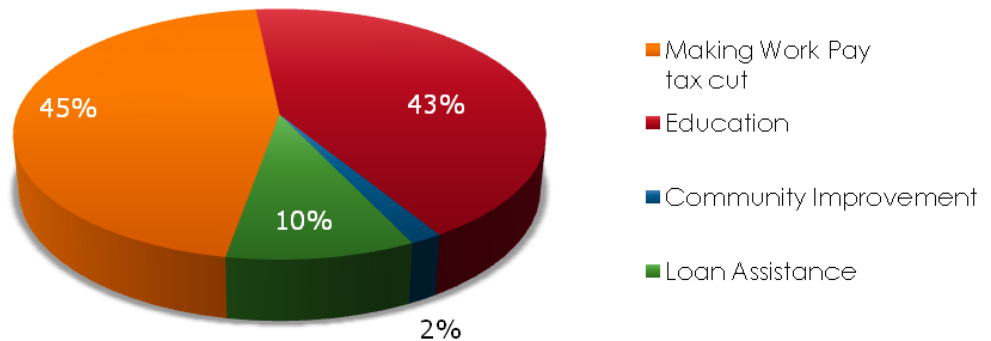
Harlan County

+ \$1,365,000

TAX CUTS

684,000 Nebraskans are benefitting from the Making Work Pay tax cut, putting \$9 million per week into Nebraskans' pockets, or \$346 million last year¹. Making Work Pay tax cut put over **\$622,000** back into the economy of Harlan County in

Division of Funding in Harlan County



EDUCATION

Harlan County's public schools were saved from making further cuts to their budgets through the use of over **\$585,000** in Recovery Act funds, including over³:



Alma Public Schools	\$412,000
Educational Service Unit #11*	\$173,000

COMMUNITY IMPROVEMENT

Over **\$23,000** was given to Alma Housing Authority to replace a boiler, funded through the Recovery Act⁴.

LOAN ASSISTANCE

Over **\$135,000** in loans were awarded to individuals in Harlan County, including⁵:

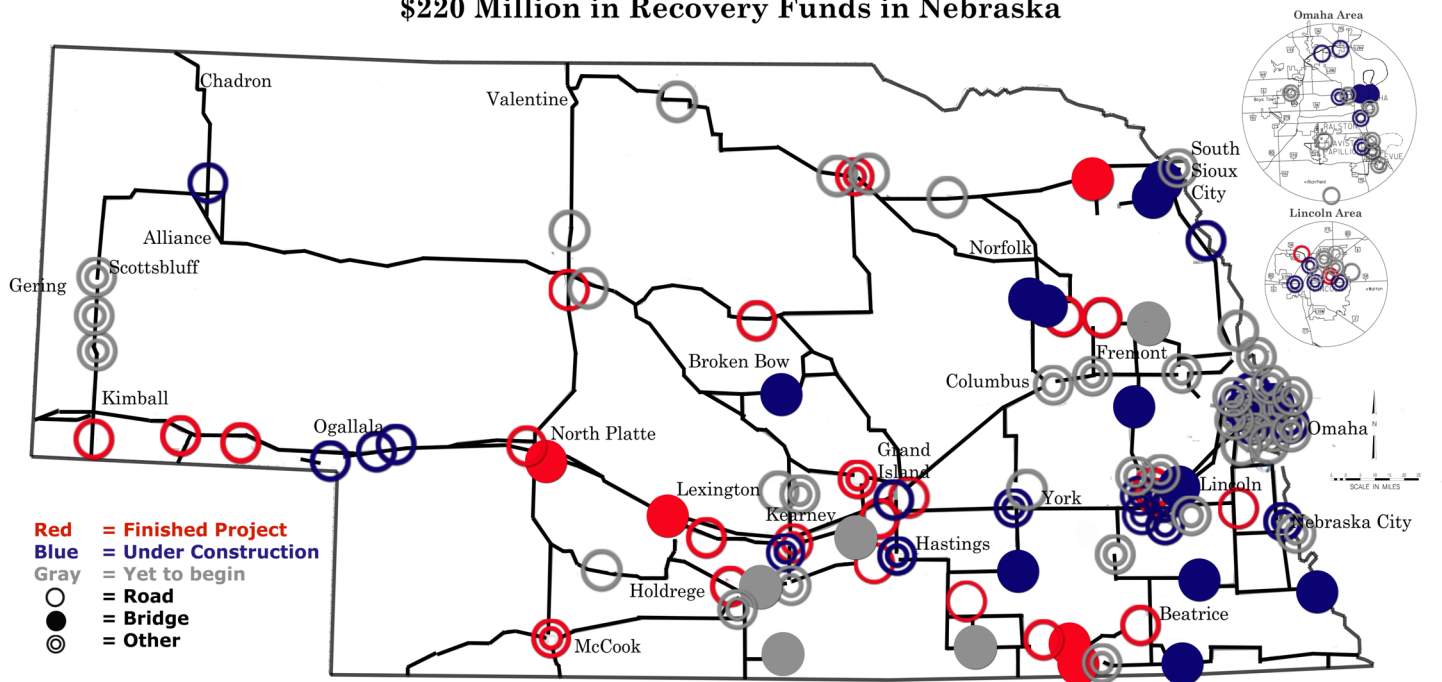
- \$17,000 - Agricultural Credit Insurance Direct Operating Loans & Loan Subsidies
- \$118,000 - Rural Housing Insurance Guaranteed Loans

FIRST TIME HOMEBUYER CREDIT

More than 22,000 Nebraskans benefited from the First Time Homebuyer tax credit, returning more than **\$155.8 million** to the Nebraska economy from 2008 to 2010⁶.

Road Map to Recovery

\$220 Million in Recovery Funds in Nebraska



Summary

Tax Cuts	\$ 622,000
Education	\$ 585,000
Loan Assistance	\$ 135,000
Community Improvement	\$23,000
Total	\$1,365,000

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www.bennelson.senate.gov/upload/recovery/Harlan.pdf

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Endnotes

1. Hungerford, Thomas, Congressional Research Service memo to Senator Nelson: "Impact of Making Work Pay Tax Credit on Nebraska"; March 27, 2009.
2. \$346 million x Harlan County's percentage of Nebraska's population
3. Nebraska Department of Education, "Summary ARRA Allocations," http://www.nde.state.ne.us/ARRA/PDF/ARRA_Grant_Allocations_All_Programs.pdf (Accessed 07/22/2010).
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5. "Data_Feed.csv," USAspending.gov, <http://www.usaspending.gov/data?carryfilters=on> (Accessed: 07/27/2010).
6. Internal Revenue Service Memo to Senator Nelson, "First Time Homebuyer Credit Volume," July 29, 2010.

This information is current as of July 21, 2010.

* These school districts are located in multiple counties.

